

St Alban's Pontypool and St Felix Blaenavon

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Masses for the week beginning 4 January 2026

Saturday 3 January	4.30pm St Felix 6.00pm St Alban	<i>Vigil Masses for Sunday</i> Teresa Moore RIP Ken Blower RIP
Sunday 4 January	9.15am Usk 11.00am St Alban	<i>2nd Sunday of Christmas</i> Richard Hayes RIP People of the Parish
Monday 5 January	7.00 pm St Alban	<i>Vigil Mass for the Epiphany</i> Holy Souls
Tuesday 6 January	9.30am St Alban 12 00 noon Usk	<i>The Epiphany of the Lord</i> People of the Parish Private Intention
Wednesday 7 January	No Mass Today	<i>Mass for 7th January</i>
Thursday 8 January	9.30am St Felix	<i>Mass for 8th January</i> Teresa Moore RIP
Friday 9 January	9.30am St Alban	<i>Mass for 9th January</i> Kate & Michael Touhig RIP
Saturday 10 January	4.30pm St Felix 6.00pm St Alban	<i>Vigil Masses for Sunday</i> Alan Hillier RIP People of the Parish
Sunday 11 January	9.15am Usk 11.00am St Alban	<i>The Baptism of the Lord</i> Eileen Harris RIP

Tuesday is the Feast of The Epiphany of the Lord and is a Holy Day of Obligation. The Masses for the Feast will be in St Albans at 7.00pm on Monday and 9.30am on Tuesday. The staff and children from Padre Pio will be joining us for the Mass on Tuesday

Thank you,

As we begin a new year, I would like to thank all those who, during the past year, have helped with the running, maintenance and administration of the parish, so much goes on behind the scenes which can so often be taken for granted. Your dedication and efforts are not unnoticed, and they are very much appreciated.

We are in need of volunteers who can assist with the various catechetical programs in the parish especially the preparation of Children for First Holy Communion and Confirmation (a DBS check will be required) and also volunteers who can be called upon, when required, to open the Church before the Masses on Saturday and Sunday. If you can help, please contact Fr Paul.

Finally, I would like to wish you and you families a Very Happy and Peaceful New Year and pray that God will bless our parish and help us all to grow in faith and love during 2026
Canon Paul

**The Catholic Post**

Copies of the January edition of the Catholic Post are at the back of the church. A donation of £1 is suggested which can be placed in the church donations slot in the war box in the porch of Saint Albans or in the basket provided at Saint Felix.

Archbishop's Newsletter

Archbishop Mark's newsletter for December is available on the Archdiocesan website,
www.rcadc.org